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RESULTS LUBBOCK COUNTY PRIMAR

The total vote in the primary last Saturday for Lubbock and attached counties was 801-about 125 votes more than that cast in the primary of 1912. Some of the boxes failed to hold a primary. Precinct No. 1 cast 178 votes, No. 2, 103 votes; No. 3, 35 votes; No. 4, 192 votes; No. 5, 107 votes; No. 7, 14 votes; No. 8, 27 votes; No. 9, 46 votes; No. 10, 48 votes; No. 11, 39 votes; No. 12, 12 votes; No. 15, 8 votes.

Following is the vote of Slaton precinct and of Lubbock and attached counties. The first column is the total county vote, and the second column is the Slaton vote.

Prohibition Amendment.

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For Submission	-1	
Against Submission 138	1	
STATE OFFICERS.		
Governor.		
Jas. E. Ferguson 274	- 4	
Thos. H. Ball	:	
Leopold Morris 16		
Lieutenant Governor.		
B. B. Sturgeon 456	:	
W. P. Hobby		
Attorney General.		
B. F. Looney	1	
Treasurer.		
Jno. W. Baker	1	
J. M. Edwards 113		
Court Criminal Appeals.		
W. L. Davidson	1	
J. J. Falk407	1	
Supreme Court.		
Wm Hawkins 775	2.	

SLATON, LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS: JULY 31, 1914.

Number 48.

Variety is the Spice of Life.

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County Judge. County Attorney. 59Sheriff. 93 W. H. Flynn..... 529 County Clerk. 15 Frank Bowles..... 358 Tax Assessor. 67 R. C. Burns..... 443 Treasurer.

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sioners.

inspector.



96 All the friends of Col. L. A. H. 14 Smith will no doubt be glad to 92 hear from him, so we take the opportunity of reprinting his 30 letter of last week written from 73 Pleasant Hill, Mo. Mr. Smith

"I have intended for some 65 42 time to write, but have been helping in the harvest fields, vis-

may SMILE but if you had seen pounds of 24 me cutting out weeds in corn six and seven feet high you would 102 39 100 105 me. andidates in ustice of the or precinct ll scattering ch office, L. man, and R. e nominees, South Plains. n the nomi-Now I ask you as J. P. to issue Collier's.

an injunction to keep him from exterminating the finny tribe.

"Kindest regards to all friends and best wishes for yourself."

Colonel Smith added to his letter: "TOO HOT HERE; it's back to Texas for me right now."

A \$25,000.00 Cow.

May Rilma, an American-bred Guernsey cow belonging to Lynn county were: Major Edward B. Cassatt of says: Berwyn, Pa., has completed a collector. year's test in which she has established a record for the prodistrict clerk. 34 iting, and fishing. Now when I duction of butter fat-1,059.59 48 speak of working some of you pounds, equivalent to 1,236.18 C. H. Cain, county attorney. butter. The ex The vote for submission was champions are Holsteins. Noth-138, against 92. be convinced that there is some ing that experience or science Ferguson 146, Ball 197, Morenergy left. I have established can offer was neglected by the ris 8. a reputation here that I did not Pennsylvania cow's ambitious 67 have at Slaton, I told the men master. May Rilma has enjoyed in the hay field that when I tell it absolute comfort: a roomy box at home about having worked out stall kept clean; wide windows here none will believe me, so they screened with muslin to prevent promised to sign an affidavit to direct draft; a carefully groomed that effect. Tell Edwards and coat that any race horse might Harris 11, Davis 101. Olive that if they will follow me envy; an even temperature, as one day they will quit slandering near 60 degrees as possible (no 181, Blanton 171. wasted effort in resisting cold or "Well, Mr. Loomis, I am in heath; a scientifically balanced Missouri but would rather be in ration of grain, vegetables, ensi-135. Slaton where everything is more lage, and, alfalfa-the last two congenial, but the more I see of always before her, but removed the people the better I like from the racks at the end of the them. They are truly southern day and replaced by fresh. and democratic. This is a very Nothing has broken in upon her broken country but fine soil. perfect peace. She has the ab-Corn, oats, mules, and hogs are solute devotion of one attendant, the chief products. This year who sleeps in an adjoining box the crops are fine. Corn will stall fitted up as a cell like room. make in some localities an aver- Here stands the stove that reguage of 75 bushels to the acre; it lates the evenness of the winter one-half pounds and they are looks fine. Oats will not do so temperature. No cow likes to now on display at Harry T. Mcwell as it was dry in the spring, change milkers. This one is Gee's office. None of the onions contrary to what I have always milked (always by the same man) weighed by Mr. Kuykendall heard. This is no wheat coun at eight hour intervals: 4 a. m., tipped the scales at less than a try, about an average with the 12 m., 8 p. c. And over and pound each. The onions were above earning for herself this planted from the seed last fall, "Your most welcome paper luxurious living and paying for and each onion was given one arza county comes regularly. When the a quarter of one man's wage, she square foot of land when Mr. postman comes on Tuesday I get nets her owner \$716 annual Kuykendall finished thinning out a for county it and read everything, even the profit. After all, though, it the patch last spring. The final on, sheriff; ads. Tell my friends I am still wasn't only Major Cassatt and growth of the onions at this assessor; F. in the land of the living and will Queen May Rilma who won out. time-a little over one pound r: Ira Weak. torment them again soon with Much credit belongs to Albert each-makes a yield of 23 tons to rray, chair. my presence. I understand Van Tuinen, first gentleman in the acre. Mr. Kuykendall also atic Execu. Edwards is catching all the fish. waiting, who did the milking .- is raising some splendid celery on his Slaton land.

FERGUSON BEATS BALL DECISIVELY

Returns complete and incomplete from 227 counties on Wednesday give a total vote of 387,345 votes accounted for. Jas. E. Ferguson's lead was 38,953.

The vote on Submission was 123,190 for and 142,688 against.

Hobby was nominated for lieutenant governor.

Edwards defeated Baker for state treasurer.

Davidson won for a place of. the court of criminal appeals, Davis for commissioner of agriculture, Mayfield for railroad commissioner, Doughty for superintendent public instruction, Robison for land commissioner, and Terrell for comptroller.

Jeff McLemore and Cyclone Davis won out over the bunch for congressmen at large.

A peculiar feature of the election is that the pros will have control of the state senate while the antis control in the house.

All congressmen were renominated except Vaugin in the **First Congressional District.**

We have not seen any reports of the results of the election on state representative from this district.

Lynn County Vote.

The successful candidates in

J. L. Stokes, county judge. F. E. Redwine, sheriff and tax

Pat Northcross, county and

John Thomas, tax assessor. Clayton Beard, treasurer.

Commissioner Agriculture.	Chris Harwell
Fred W. Davis	J. M. Johnson
H. A. Halbert	Surveyor.
Railroad Commissioner.	H. G. Guinn
Earl B. Mayfield555 58	Hide and Animal Inspect
J. M. Arnold165 43	W. D. Shaw333
Superintendent Schools.	J. B. Young
W. F. Doughty 429 55	Public Weigher.
S. M. N. Marrs	C. T. Jackson
Land Commissioner.	Chas. Tackett 49
T. M. Bartley	County Commissioners
J. T. Robinson	N.R.Porter, Pre. No.1, 181
Comptroller.	C.A.Joplin, Pre.No. 2, 201
H. B. Terrell285 68	L.O. Burford, Pre. No.3, 120
C. C. Mayfield	J. M. WrightPre.No.4, 88
J. L. Franklin	P.VonRosenberg "" 132
Congressmen at Large.	Constable.
Jeff McLemore	E. Y. Lee, Pre. No. 1 55
James H. Lowry 46 6	J. S. Hand " " 29
Daniel E. Garrett 195 18	Justice of the Peace.
T. J. O'Donnell 60 14	J.D.Caldwell, Pre.No.1, 369
W. P. Lane197 28	County Chairman
Ed R. Kone	Rosco Wilson
L. L. Shields	
J. E. Porter 16 1	There were no candidat
Will A. Harris	Slaton precinct for justice of
	peace, constable, or pre
Court Civil Appeals.	chairman, and a small scatt vote was cast for each offic
R. W. Hall	P. Loomis, D. C. Hoffman, al
Congressman 16th District.	A. Baldwin being the nomi
W. R. Smith	respectively.
Thos. L., Blanton	respectively.
State Senator 29th District."	Charles and the second s
R. H. Cocke Jr	The election in Garza co
W. A. Johnson	Saturday resulted in the
Representative 122 District.	nation of J. M. Boren for co
- Don H. Biggers 415 49	judge; E. J. Robinson, sh
J. K. Wester	R. H. Collier, tax assesso
H. B. Murray 56 24	L. Maupin, treasurer; Ira V ley, clerk; D. A. Murray, o
District Attorney.	man County, Democratic E
	tive Committee.
G. E. LOCKHARV	tire committee.

Sturgeon 223, Hobby 116. Baker 250, Edwards 116. Bartley 273, Robison 93. McLemore 49, Lowry 21, Garrett 67, O'Donnell 62, Lane 53, Kone 21, Shield 26, Porter 12,

Congress, District 16: Smith

Representative, District 122: Murray 75, Biggers 150, Wester

A. I. Kuykendall gathered his onion crop this week and the size of the onions was a great surprise to even those who knew that Mr. Kuykendall had raised some big onions. Six of the largest ontons weighed nine and



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Monograms Again

One of the most interesting games of baseball played this year was the one at Post City Saturday between the Postex and the Slaton Monograms, the Monograms winning by a score of 7 to 6. It was another one of those close, ninth inning battles of the diamond, with victory hovering over each team awaiting the last out to decide the winner.

The event was made a gala day and a special train of fans went along with the Monograms to cheer them on to victory. The visitors went thru the splendid Postex cotton mills before the game, inspecting the machinery that takes cotton and manufactures it into bed sheets and pillow cases. The Postex mills are a great treat to anyone who likes to look at modern machinery.

A big crowd gathered at the baseball grounds, and the rooting started with the first ball to kill the ball. The Postoaties thrown. It was three up and went crazy wild for the victory three down for both sides until they saw coming. Cowbells the third inning when the Mon- jangled, megaphones raucoussed ograms started an attack on reverberations to the Mono-

Mr. Brannon Had a Bad Day.



that made him huerta. Gassaway took up the battle for Postex but lost his reputation before the third man was out. Luther, Minor, Kuykendall, Johnston, and Briggs Robertson rapped out hits and Eckert, DeLong, and Pool Robertson sacrifice hits for Mr. Gassoway Welcomed By a Hot Reception.

Win from Postex THE STORE AHEAD

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We wish to thank our many patrons for their past favors, also their promptness in meeting their obligations, which has enabled us to make some remarkably low prices on groceries. In order to make room for our enormous fall stock which will be on hand in a few weeks we will be forced to sacrifice at very low prices at least two-thirds of of our dry goods stock. Come in and see for yourself.

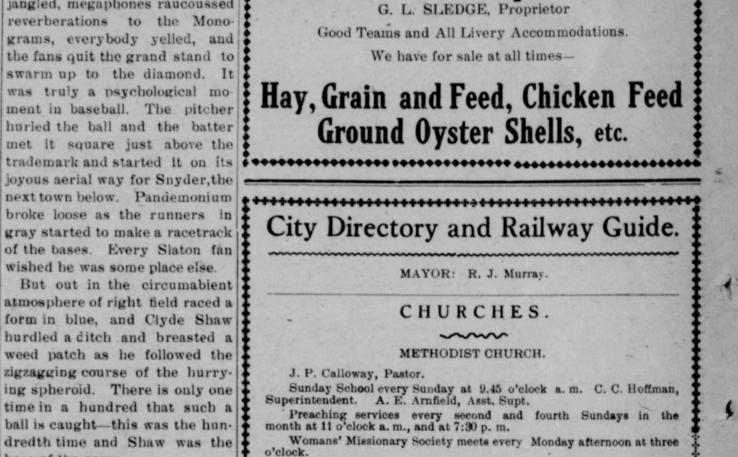
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Slaton

has proven we Brannon, the Postex pitcher, grams, everybody yelled, and the fans quit the grand stand to swarm up to the diamond. It was truly a psychological moment in baseball. The pitcher hurled the ball and the batter met it square just above the trademark and started it on its joyous aerial way for Snyder, the next town below. Pandemonium broke loose as the runners in gray started to make a racetrack of the bases. Every Slaton fan wished he was some place else. But out in the circumabient atmosphere of right field raced a form in blue, and Clyde Shaw



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Proctor & Olive Gents Furnishing Store SLATON.

He Like a Mexican Insurregte Called for a Truce

hero of the game.

The pandemonium was suddenly turned to the silence of a waning day as it sifted into the minds of the patriotic of Post City that the batter had flied for the third out in the ninth inning. At Slaton in this favored land the sun was shining bright, the band was playing somewhere and Slatop hearts were light; the Monograms were laughing and joyous fans did shout, but there was no joy in Postex-mighty Ducky had flied out.

It was a great game with a grand stand finish. Postex got 8 hits off Eckert and one earned run. Only two struck out.

Four Monograms struck out and they got 13 hits for five earned runs.

Postex is making arrangements to come to Slaton Saturday with a special train of fans.

Another ball game of special interest Saturday was one played on the diamond at Hurd Standefer's farm west of Slaton in which the married men of the

tive scores. An error resulted community disputed sovereignin helping to make one out or the ity with the unmarried men. Monograms might have batting The single men won by a score yet. That was all they got until of 13 to 17. This was the second the ninth when hits by Johnston, of a series, the married men DeLong, and Briggs Robertson having won the first. The third game will be played later. They gave two more scores. Postex scored twice in the 3rd have a good diamond at Mr. on errors and once in the 4th the Standefer's and a big crowd was same way. They earned one in out to see the fun. J. S. Ed.

5th on two hits and a sacrifice. wards and A. C. Benton went out Postex came to bat in the last from town. The Slatonite sporthalf of the ninth determined to ing editor had a special invitation win and put over two scores but we had to miss the game. TEXAS without a hit. With a man on We want to see the next one.

Union Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everyone welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

J. D. Lambkin, Pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. E. S. Brooks, Superintendent.

Preaching services every first and third Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday at 3 o'clock p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Word, Pastor

Preaching every fourth Sunday in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.

LODGES

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INDEPENDENT ORDER ODD FELLOWS.

Slaton Lodge No. 861 I. O. O. F. meets every Monday at 8.30 p. m. F. V. Williams, N. G. J. G. Wadsworth, Secretary.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Slaton Camp 2871 W. O. W. meets istand 3rd Friday nights in each month at MacRea Hall. A. E. Arnfield, C. C. B. C. Morgan, Clerk.

WOODMEN CIRCLE.

Slaton Grove Woodmen Circle No. 1320 meets on second and fourth Thursday evenings each month at 3.30 o'clock in the MacRea hall. Vis-itors cordially welcomed. Mrs. Ida Bellomy, Guardian. Mrs. Carrie Blackwell, Clerk.

A., F., AND A. M.

Slaton Lodge A. F. and A. M. meets every Thursday night on or before each full moon, at 8.30 o'clock. J. H. Smith, W. M.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE .-- Santa Fe South Plains Lines

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SOUTH BOUND.

No. 27, Arrives from Amarillo "" "Departs for Sweetwater NORTH BOUND.	2:30 p. m. 2:55 p. m.
No. 28, Arrives from Sweetwater " Departs for Amarillo AMARILLO LOCAL.	10:40 a. m. 11:06 a. m.
No. 93, Arrives from Amarillo No. 94, Departs for Amarillo LAMESA LOCAL.	5:15 p. m. 6:00 a. m.
No. 803, Departs for Lamesa No. 804, Arrives from Lamesa	3:20 p. m. 11:30 a. m.



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CHAPTER XI-Continued.

"It is the desire of the Yaquis," he had said, when rebuked for serving under the hated flag of Mexico, "to kill Mexicans. And," he added grinny, "the federals at this time seem best able to give us guns for that purpose."

But it had been a year now since Bule had passed his word and, though they had battled valiantly, their land had not been given back to them. The wild Yaquis, the irreconcilables who never came down from the hills, had gone on the warpath again, but Bule and his men still served.

Only in two things did they disobey their officers-they would not stack their arms, and they would not retreat while there were still more Mexicans to be killed. Otherwise they were very good soldiers.

But now, after the long campaign in Chihuahua and a winter of idleness at Agua Negra, they were marching south toward their native land and, in spite of the Stern glances of their leaders, they burst forth in weird Yaqui songs which, if their words had been known, might easily have caused their Mexican officers some slight uneasi-

e had two more, filled to the last nole with cartridges and loaded clips. At his feet lay his blanket, bound into a tight roll, and a canteen and coffee cup completed his outfit, which, so far as impedimenta were concerned, was simplicity itself.

But instead of the cheap linen uniform of the federals he was dressed in good American clothes—a striped shirt, overalls, and a sombrero banded with a bright ribbon-and in place of the beatch, hunted look of those poor conscripts he had the steady gaze of a free man.

They stood and smoked for a few moments, talking briefly, and then, as the Yaquis closed up their ranks and marched off to make camp for the night, Bud presented his strange friend with the sack of tobacco and went back to join his pardner. That evening the plaza was filled

with the wildest rumors, and another train arrived during the night, but through it all Bud and Phil remained unimpressed. In the morning the soldiers went marching off down the trail, leaving a great silence where all had been bugie-calls and excitement, and then the first fugitive came in from down below.

He was an old Mexican, with trembling beard and staring eyes, and he told a tale of outrage that made their blood run cold. The red-flaggers had come to his house at night; they had killed his wife and son, left him upon the ground for dead, and carried off his daughter, a prisoner.

But later, when the comisario questioned him sharply, it developed that he lived not far away, had no daughter to lose, and was, in fact, only a crazed old man who told for truth that which he feared would happen.

Notwithstanding the denouement, his story stirred the Mexican population to the depths, and when Bud and Phil tried to hire men to push the work on the mine, they realized that their troubdes had begun. Not only was it impossible to engage laborers at any price, but on the following day Cruz Mendez, with his wife and children and all his earthly possessions on his burros, came hurrying in from the camp and told them he could serve them no more.

"It is my woman!" he explained; "my Maria! Ah, if those revoltosos should see Maria they would steal her before my eyes!" So he was given his pay and the

fifty dollars he had earned and, after the customary "Muchas gracias," and with the faithful Maria by his side, he went hurrying off to the store.

And now in crowded vehicles, with armed men riding in front and behind, the refugees from Moctezuma and the hot country began to pour into town, adding by their very haste to the panic of all who saw them.

They were the rich property owners before, were now at the first rumor of danger, bringing few ineffectual protests. their families with them to escape any being held for ransom.

awoke suddenly to the beauty of the evening.

And among the rest of the maidens, but far more ravishing and high-bred, walked Gracia Aragon, at whom Bud in particular stole many secret glances from beneath the broad brim of his hat, hoping that by some luck the insurrectos would come upon the town, and he could defend her-he alone. For he felt that he could do it against any hundred Mexicans that ever breathed.

CHAPTER XII.

In its inception the Fortuna hotel had not been intended for the use of Mexicans-in fact, its rates were practically prohibitive for anyone not being paid in gold-but, since most of the Americans had left, and seven dollars a day Mex was no deterrent to the rich refugee land owners, it became of a sudden international, with a fine mixture of purse-proud Spaniards and race-proud American adventurers.

Not a very pleasing combination for the parents of romantic damsels destined for some prearranged marriage of state, but very exciting for the damsels and most provocative to the Americans.

After the promenade in the plaza the mothers by common consent preempted the upstairs reception-room. gathering their precious charges in close; while the Americans, after their custom, foregathered in the lobby, convenient to the bar. Hot arguments about the revolution, and predictions of events to come served to pass the early evening, with many scornful glances at the Mexican dandies who went so insolently up the stairs. And then, as the refugees retired to their apartments and the spirit of adventure rose uppermost. Phil De Lancey made a dash out into the darkness and came back with a Mexican string band.

"A serenade, boys!" he announced, as the musicians filed sheepishly into the hotel. "Our guests, the fair senoritas, you know! We'll make those young Mexican dudes look like twospots before the war is over. Who's game now for a song beneath the windows? You know the old stand-bys-'La Paloma' and 'Teresita Mia'-and you want to listen to me sing 'Me Gustan Todas' to Gracia, the fairest of the fair! Come on, fellows, out in the plaza, and then listen to the old folks cuss!

They adjourned then, after a drink for courage, to the moonlight and the plaza; and there, beneath the shuttered windows and vacant balconies, the guitars and violins took up "La Paloma," while Phil and a few brave spirits sang.

A silence followed their first attempt, as well as their second and third, and the comisario of police, a who, having been subjected to forced mild creature owned and paid by the company, came around and made a But inside the company's concession, where by common consent the In half a day the big hotel presided militant rurales kept their hands off, the Americans knew they were safe, and they soon jollied the comisario into taking a drink and departing. Then De Lancey took up the burden, and the string band, hired by the hour, strummed on as if for eternity. One by one the windows opened; fretful fathers stepped out on the balcony and, bound by the custom and convention of the country, thanked them and bade them good night. But gon did not show it now, as she sprang the two windows behind which the Senor Aragon and his family reposed did not open and, though the dwindling band stood directly under their balcony, and all knew that his daughrevolutionary conflicts as convenient ter was the fairest of the fair. Don Cipriano did not wish them good night. Perhaps he recognized the leading tenor-and the big voice of Bud Hooker, trying to still the riot-but, the rump of a mule; "but I know nothhowever it was, he would not speak

temptingly, and was well on his way to further extravagancies when the figure in white swiftly vanished and a door slammed hard inside the house.

Several minutes later the form of Don Juan appeared at the lower door, and in no uncertain tones he requested them to cease.

"The Senor Aragon informs me," he said, "that your music annoys him."

"Well, let him come to the balcony and say his 'buenas noches,'" answered Phil resentfully.

"The gentleman refuses to do that!" responded Don Juan briefly.

"Then let him go to bed!" replied De Lancey, strumming a few syncopated chords; "I'm singing to his daughter."

At that Don Juan came down off the porch in his slippers and they engaged in a protracted argument.

"What, don't I get a word?" demanded Phil grievously, "not a pleasant look from anybody? 'Swee-eet honey-bee, be sweet to me!"" he pleaded, turning pathetically to the lady's balcony; and then, with a sudden flourish, a white handkerchief appeared through the crack of the shutters and Gracia waved him good night.

"Enough, Don Juan!" he cried, laying down the guitar with a thump; "this ends our evening's entertainment!"

musicians Phil joined Bud and the pair adjourned to their room, where, in the intervals of undressing, Phil favored the occupants of the adjoining apartments with an aria from "Beautiful Doll."

But for all such nights of romance and music there is always a morning afterward; and a fine tenor voice set to ragtime never helped much in the development of a mine. Though Bud had remained loyally by his friend in his evening serenade he, for one, never forgot for a moment that they were in Fortuna to work the Eagle Tail Aragon outfit unless I was with you!" and not to win the hearts of Spanish-Mexican senoritas, no matter how attractive they might be.

Bud was a practical man who, if he ever made love, would doubtless do it in a perfectly businesslike way, without hiring any string bands. But at the same time he was willing to make some concessions.

Well, go ahead and get your sleep, then," he growled, after trying three times in the morning to get his pardner up; "I'm going out to the mine!"

Then, with a saddle-gun under his knee and his six-shooter hung at his hip, he rode rapidly down the road. turning out from time to time to let long cavalcades of mules string by. The dead-eyed arrieros, each with his combined mule-blind and whiplash swinging free, seemed to have very little on their minds but their packlashings, and yet they must be three days out from Moctezuma.

Their mules, too, were well loaded with the products of the hot country

cartridge belt, and around his waist months had been a triffe burdensome, bear, it's a bear!'" he continued sight, he ordered supplies at the store and engaged Cruz Mendez-who had spent his fortune in three days-to pack the goods out on his mules.

They were ready to start the next morning if De Lancey could be found to order the powder and tools, and as the afternoon wore on and no Phil appeared, Bud went on a long hunt which finally discovered him in the balcony of their window, making signs in the language of the "bear," as a man who flirts with a woman in Mexico is called.

"Say, Phil," he hailed, disregarding his pardner's obvious preoccupation; "break away for a minute and tell me what kind of powder to get to break that schist-the store closes at five o'clock, and-"

He thrust his head out the door as he spoke and paused, abashed. Through the half-closed portal of the next balcony but one he beheld the golden hair of Gracia Aragon, and she fixed her brown eyes upon him with a dazzling, mischievous smile.

"O-ho!" murmured Bud, laying a com pelling hand on De Lancey and backing swiftly out of range; "so this is what you're up to-talking signs! But say, Phil," he continued, beckon him peremptorily with a jerk of head, "I got ten men hired and a lut of grub bought, and if you don't pick out that mining stuff we're going to After paying and thanking the stolid lose a day. So get the lady to excuse you and come on now."

> "In a minute," pleaded Phil, and he went at the end of his allotted time. and perhaps it was the imp of jealousy that put strength into Hooker's arm.

> "Well, that's all right," said Bud, as Phil began his laughing excuses; "but you want to remember the Maine, pardner-we didn't come down here to play the bear. When they's any lovemaking to be done I want to be in on it. And you want to remember that promise you made me-you said you wouldn't have a thing to do with the "Why, you aren't-you aren't jealous, are you, Bud?"

"Yes, I'm jealous!' answered Hooker harshly; "jealous as the devil! And I want you to keep that promise, see?"

"Aw, Bud-" began De Lancey incredulously; but Hooker silenced him with a look. Perhaps he was really jealous, or perhaps he only said so to have his way, but Phil saw that he was in earnest, and he went quietly by his side.

But love had set his brain in a whirl, and he thought no more of his promise-only of some subtler way of meeting his inamorata, some way which Bud would fail to see.

CHAPTER XIII.

For sixty days and more, while the weather had been turning from cold to warm and they had been laboring feebly to clear away the great slide of loose rock that covered up the ledge, the Eagle Tail mine had remained a mystery. Whether, like the old Eagle Tail of frontier fable, it was so rich that only the eagle's head was needed to turn the chunks into twenty-dollar gold pieces; or whether, like many other frontier mines, it was nothing but a hole in the ground, was a matter still to be settled. And Bud, for one, was determined to settle it quickly. "Come on," he said, as Phil hesitated to open up the way to the lead; "we got a month, maybe less, to get to the bottom of this; and then the hills will be lousy with rebels. If they's nothing here, we want to find out about it quick and skip-and if we strike it, by grab, they ain't enough red-flaggers in Sonora to pry me loose from it. So show these hombres where to work and we'll be up against rock by the end of the week.' The original Eagle Tail tunnel had been driven into the side of a steep hill; so steep, in fact, that the loose shale stretched in long shoots from "No," muttered Bud, as he continued the base of the frowning porphyry dikes that crowned the tops of the hills to the bottom of the canyon. On either side of the discovery gulch sharp ridges, perforated by the gopherholes of the Mexicans and the ancient workings of the Spaniards, ran directly up the hill to meet the contact. But it was against the face of the big ridge itself that Kruger had driven his drift and exploded his giant blast of dynamite, and the whole slope had been altered and covered with a slide of rock. Against this slide, in the days when they were marking time, Bud and his pardner had directed their energies, throwing the loose stones aside, building up walls against the slip, and clearing the way to the solid schist. There, somewhere beneath the jumble of powder-riven rock, lay the ledge which, if they found it, would make them rich; and now with single-jack and drill, they attacked the last huge fragments, blasting them into pieces and groveling deeper until they could strike the contact, where the schist and porphyry met and the gold spray had spewed up between.

It was, in fact, only a question of days, months, or years until the entire Yagul contingent would desert, taking their arms and ammunition with them.

"Gee, what a bunch of men!" exclaimed Bud, as he stood off and admired their stark forms.

"There's some genuine fighters for you." he observed to Phil; and a giant Yaqui, standing near, returned his praise with a smile.

"W'y, hello there, Amigo!" hailed Bud, jerking his head in a friendly sa-"That's a feller I was making lute. signs to up in Agua Negra," he explained. "Dogged if I ain't stuck on these Yaquis-they're all men, believe me!"

"Good workers, all right," conceded De Lancey, "but I'd hate to have 'em get after me with those guns. They say they've killed a lot of Americans, one time and another."

"Well, if they did it was for being caught in bad company," said Hooker. "I'd take a chance with 'em any time -but if you go into their country with a Mexican escort they !! kill you on general principles. Say," he cried impulsively, "I'm going over to talk with Amigo!"

With a broad grin on his honest face he advanced toward the giant Yaqui and shook hands ceremoniously.

"Where you go?" he inquired in Spanish, at the same time rolling a cigarette and asking by a sign for a match.

"Moctezuma," answered the Indian gravely. Then, as Bud offered him the makings, he, too, rolled a cigarette and they smoked for a minute in silence

"You live here?" inquired the Yaqui at last.

"Come here," corrected Bud. "I have mine-ten miles-over there."

He pointed with the flat of his hand, Indian fashion, and Amigo nodded understandingly.

He was a fine figure of a man, standing six feet or better in his well-cut sandals and handling his heavy Mauser as a child would swing a stick. Across his broad chest he wore a full

over by Don Juan de Dios Brachamonte was swarming with staringeyed country mothers and sternly subdued families of children; and finally, to add eclat to the occasion and compensate for the general confusion, Don Cipriano Aragon y Tres Palacios

came driving up to the door with his wife and the smiling Gracia. If she had been in any fear of cap-

ture by bold marauders, Gracia Aralightly from the carriage and waited upon her lady mother. Perhaps, after a year or more of rumors and alarms, she had come to look upon impending excuses for a trip to town, a long stop at the hotel, and even a dash to gay Gadsden in case the rebels pressed close.

However that may be, while Don Juan exerted himself to procure them to them, and De Lancey would not a good room she endured the gaze of quit. the American guests with becoming placidity and, as that took some time, she even ventured to look the Americans over and make some comments to her mother.

And then-or so it seemed to Budthe mother glanced up quickly and fixed her eyes upon him. After that he was in less of a hurry to return to the mine, and Phil said they would stay inside for a week. But as for Don Cipriano, when he came across them in the crowded lobby he glared past them with malignant insolence and abruptly turned his back.

At La Fortuna he was the lord and master, with power to forbid them the place; but now once more the fortunes of war had turned against him, and he was forced to tolerate their presence. The band played in the plaza that evening, it being Thursday of the

week, and as the cornet led with "La Paloma," and the bass viol and guitars beat the measure, all feet seemed to turn in that direction, and the fear of the raiders was stilled.

Around and around the band stand and in and out beneath the trees the pleasure loving maidens from down below walked decorously with their mothers; and the little band of Fortuna Americans, to whom life for some

"Try 'em on American music!" he cried, as everyone but Bud went away in disgust, "the latest rag from Broadwa-ay, New York. Here, gimme that guitar, hombre, and listen to this now!"

He picked out a clever bit of syncopation and pitched his voice to a heady twang:

Down in the garden where the red roses

grow, Oh my, I long to go! Pluck me like a flower, cuddle me an hour, Levie let me learn the Red Rose Ra-ag!" There was some swing to that, and it seemed to make an impression, for just as he was well started on the chorus the slats of one of the shutters parted and a patch of white shone through the spaces. It was the ladies, then, who were getting interested! Phil wailed on:

"Swee-set honey-bee, be sweet to me! My heart is free, but here's the key!" And then, positively, he could see that patch of white beat time. He took heart of grace at that and sang on to the end, and at a suggestion of clapping in dumb-show he gave an encore and ragged it over again.

"'Ev'rybody's doin' it, doin' it, doin' it!"" he began, as the shadow dance ceased.

"'Honey, I declare, it's a bear, it's a

-fanegas of corn in red leather sacks, oranges and fruits in hand-made crates, panoches of sugar in balanced frames, long joints of sugar-cane for the dulce pedlers, and nothing to indicate either haste or flight.

Three times he let long pack-trains go by without a word, and then at last, overcome by curiosity, he inquired about the revoltosos.

"What revoltosos?" queried the old man to whom he spoke.

"Why, the men of Bernardo Bravo," answered Bud; "the men who are marching to take Moctezuma."

"When I left Moctezuma," returned the old man politely, "all was quietthere were no revoltosos. Since then, I cannot say."

"But the soldiers!" cried Bud. "Surely you saw them! They were marching to fight the rebels."

"Perhaps so,"-shrugged the arriero, laying the lash of his topojo across ing about it."

on his way; "and I'll bet nobody else does."

Inquiry showed that in this, too, he was correct. From those who traveled fast and from those who traveled slow he received the same wondering answer-the country might be filled with revoltosos; but, as for them, they knew nothing about it.

Not until he got back to Fortuna and the busy federal telegraph wire did he hear any more news of rapine and bloodshed, and the light which dawned upon him then was gradually dawning upon the whole town.

It was a false alarm, given out for purposes of state and the "higher politics" with which Mexico is cursed, and the most that was ever seen of Bernardo Bravo and his lawless men was twenty miserable creatures, halfstarved, but with guns in their hands, who had come down out of the mountains east of Moctezuma and killed a few cows for beef.

Thoroughly disgusted, and yet vaguely alarmed at this bit of operabouffe warfare, Bud set himself resolutely to work to hunt up men for their mine, and, as many poor people were out of employment because of the general stagnation of business, he soon had ten Mexicans at his call. Then, as Phil had dropped out of it may, we must economize.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

From a speech on the budget-We must economize, gentlemen, cost what

WOMEN CAN WICKER'S MANY USES KERCHIEFS ALL IN COLORS PROFIT AND PLEASURE IN BEE INDUSTRY Modest White No Longer in Fashion, HARDLY BELIEVE Even for Wear With the After-ARTICLES OF FURNITURE GIVE noon Costume. DISTINCTION TO ROOM. New handkerchiefs are a riot of How Mrs. Hurley Was Recolor. White kerchiefs are certainly stored to Health by Lydia not on display. The fashionable hand-E. Pinkham's Vegetable kerchiefs to be worn with tailored suits are in solid colors, or the same Compound. thing with a quarter-inch hemstitched the Apartment. hem in white. The colors run all the Eldon, Mo. - "I was troubled with way from a dainty shell pink, palest displacement, inflammation and female While rooms are delightfully atblue and most delicate lavenders to navy blue, dark brown and crimson. For afternoon wear the colors are not quite so pronounced. There will be the merest threads of color bordering the white handkerchief or the initial will be worked in a color. Again, the background of a white embroidered letter will be of a color woven in with the white, but there is sure to be a touch of color somewhere.

weakness. For two years I could not stand on my feet long at a time and I could not walk two blocks without enduring cutting and drawing pains down my right side which increased every month. I have been at that time purple in the face and would

walk the floor. I could not lie down or sit still sometimes for a day and a night at a time. I was nervous, and had very little appetite, no ambition, melancholy, and often felt as though I had not a friend in the world. After I had tried most every female remedy without success, my mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and gained in strength every day. I have now no trouble in any way and highly praise your medicine. It advertises itself."-Mrs. S. T. HURLEY, Eldon, Missouri.

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tractive furnished throughout in wicker, it still remains true that one or two pieces of wicker furniture add distinction to almost any room. Sometimes this piece or two has been added for effect; sometimes for comfort. Perhaps some of the older wooden furniture has given out, and some wicker has been added at a lower cost than it would have been possible to duplicate the older pieces for; or, again, perhaps it has been impossible to match in color or kind the worn-out furniture. So it can be seen that wicker will solve many problems, writes Ethel Seal Davis in the Philadelphia North American.

Among the different colors offered pretty color. for choice, we find the natural willow -unstained. And, instead of this seeming raw and crude, in some rooms particularly attractive greens-forest | freakish. and sea green.

A wicker sofa costs about thirtyfive dollars, the covering of the up- think. holstered seat cushion being extra.

While most of the handkerchiefs are finished with a narrow hemstitched hem, even for formal wear, there are others showing the dainty scallop inclosing a bit of mareira embroidery. also the initial, all carried out in a

It would seem the polka dot never goes out of fashion, for one of the new designs shows in the center of the it gives a very unusual note, espe- handkerchief in a solid blue, while the cially an hour-glass armchair at six wide border is dotted with white. or eight dollars. Another good color Stripes, cubes and odd colorings may is mocha brown, and there are two be found by those seeking after the

> Borderings in plaids are new and are not at all as loud as one might

> The white centers with wide border of the plaid finished with a very narrow hem of lawn in the predominating color of the plaid are very smart indeed.

Those with solid, dark color centers are nice, too, but they suggest the handkerchief less than do those with the white centers.

NOVEL FANCIES IN FOOTWEAR

Shoes, With Their Trimmings, Have Become a Most Important Part of the Costume.

The fan-shaped plait and the rosette are the prominent trimmings of the house and evening shoe now, and the place to wear them is at one side of the shoe instead of in the center. There must also be a handsome ornament or buckle made of chased metal with a huge colored cabochon stone in the middle.

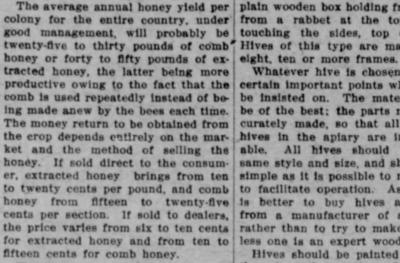
Brocade, gold and silver tissue, and ribbon are used for the plaits, and furnish a change from the tulle or velvet background employed lately for the purpose

The value of the buckles makes the lars and a half, and the footrest, three remark "without ornaments" necessary when the price of the footwear Imagine a living room in a little is stated. They are copies in many summer cottage furnished in this cases of old designs and some are so wise: Cream walls and white wood- cleverly contrived that they look real-



is carried on by many thousands of should be at least two miles apart. people in all parts of the United There are so many factors to be con-States. There are many places where sidered, however, that no general rule an experienced beekeeper can make a can be laid down. The only way to good living by devoting his entire time and attention to this line of work. It is usually unwise, however, boney flora and the record of that to undertake extensive beekeeping, the U. S. department of agriculture says, without considerable previous experience on a small scale, since there are so many minor details

which go to make up success.



ter of considerable importance. As a desirable to use white paint to prerule it is better for hives to face away from the prevailing wind and to be protected from high winds. In the isfactory, but it is best to avoid red North, a south slope is desirable. It or black. is advisable for hives to be so placed

that the sun will strike them early in the morning, so that the bees become active early in the day, and thus gain advantage by getting the first other part of the hive. Stands of supply of nectar. It is also advan- wood, bricks, tile, concrete blocks, or tageous to have the hives shaded dur- any other convenient material will aning the hottest part of the day, so that swer the purpose. The hive should the bees will not hang out in front be raised above the ground, so that of the hive instead of working. They the bottom will not rot. should be so placed that the bees will not prove a nuisance to passersby or disturb live stock. This latter precaution may save the beekeeper considerable trouble, for bees sometimes prove dangerous, especially to horses. Bees are also sometimes annoying in the early spring, for on their first flights they may spot clothes hung out to dry. This may be remedied by removing the bees from the cellars on days when no clothes are to be hung out. The plot on which the hives are placed should be kept free from weeds, especially in front of the ena lawn mower, but it will often be found more convenient and as efficient to pasture one or more head of sheep in the apiary inclosure. The hives should be far enough apart to permit of free manipulation. If hives are too close together there is danger of bees entering the wrong hive on returning, especially in the are objectionable, because with their spring.

learn how many colonies any given locality will sustain is to study the place. The beekeeper must then decide for himself the best number to be kept and where they shall be placed. Hives.

The type of hive most generally used in this country consists of a plain wooden box holding frames hung from a rabbet at the top and not touching the sides, top or bottom. twenty-five to thirty pounds of comb" Hives of this type are made to hold

Whatever hive is chosen, there are certain important points which should be insisted on. The material should be of the best: the parts must be accurately made, so that all frames or hives in the apiary are interchangeable. All hives should be of the same style and size, and should be as simple as it is possible to make them, to facilitate operation. As a rule, it is better to buy hives and frames cents per section. If sold to dealers, from a manufacturer of such goods the price varies from six to ten cents rather than to try to make them, unless one is an expert woodworker.

Hives should be painted to protect The location of the hives is a mat- them from the weather. It is usually vent excessive heat in the colony hot weather. Other light colors are sat-

Hive Stands.

Generally it is best to have each hive on a separate stand. The entrance should be lower than any

In Dainty Wicker.

But a five-foot box davenport in willow has been seen for \$23. The wicker flower stand is about four doldollars.

work, a sage-green summer woolen ly antique. rug, sea-green wicker furniture, including table, desk and desk chair, shelves, two straight wall chairs and two armchairs-one a wing and the other with a side pocket for maga- city of covering on the instep. zines. For the notes of color in this room we will depend on the window hangings, which are dull-rose upholsterer's silk; the pictures, which should all be framed in black, and the flowers, which should be used in profushion

One of the prettiest sets is a window bench-a most attractive piece of furniture, and a nifty little book trough. What will we not adapt! Time was when troughs were used only for holding water or feed for animals; and here we have them in our best Sunday-go-to-meeting rooms, with books in 'em! In almost any shop the seat might be priced at \$15 and the book trough at eight dollars in a 1x3-foot size.

For Chapped Hands.

There is nothing better to keep your hands from chapping, and to keep them soft, than glycerine and vinegar. Fill a bottle about half full of glycerine, then fill up with strong vinegar and shake well. Keep where it is handy. After washing your hands and while still moist put on a few drops and rub until dry. You will never be troubled with rough hands.

Chiffon Blouses.

One of the interesting developments of the styles is the blouse of chiffon or crepe de chine which shows a little tucked vest of organdy or linen, with a folding or flaring organdy or linen collar. The use of handkerchief linen with chiffon strikes one as a little heavy at first, but the combination is really attractive.

Unique Bridal Shower.

Give the bride who is going into a new home a shrubbery shower, to which each friend brings a bulb or cutting of her favorite shrub, with directions as to its care. To have these lasting suggestions of friends would place of beauty, but a garden of happy memories.

Furniture brocade has been found so comfortable for house footwear that davenport, window bench, book it is in high favor and the short, rounded toe is popular, the rosettes and ornaments making up for the pau-



to keep more than one hundred col- they do objects.

FERTILIZERS FOR BERRIES

Tankage or Peruvian Guano, Ground Bone, Sulphate of Potash and Soda Are Recommended.

The following are recommended in the culture of this fruit:

Tankage or Peruvian guano, 600 pounds per acre; fine ground bone, 1,000 pounds; low-grade sulphate of potash, 600 pounds; nitrate of soda, 100 pounds.

All these materials may be mixed, applied after plowing and before setting plants and thoroughly incorporated in the soil by harrowing.

Dried blood, 200 pounds per acre; low-grade sulphate of potash, 600 pounds tankage or Peruvian guano, 600 pounds; basic-slag, meal, 1,000 pounds; nitrate of soda, 100 pounds.

The slag is not mixed with the blood, tankage or guano, as it causes a loss of ammonia. It is better to apply the slag by itself, but all of the others may be mixed before application.

"Early and often" is the successful orn grower's cultivation motto.

So many people are praising it, that you can no longer doubt. For Cuts, Burns,

Directions for Manipulations. Bees should be handled so that they will be little disturbed in their work. As much as possible, stings should be avoided during manipulation. This is true, not so much because they are painful to the operator, but because the odor of poison which gets into the air irritates the other bees and makes them more difficult to manage. For this reason it is most advisable to wear a black vell over a widebrimmed hat and to have a good smoker. Gloves, however, are usually more an inconvenience than other-Gauntlets or rubber bands wise. trances. The grass may be cut with around the cuffs keep the bees from crawling up the sleeve. It is best to avoid black clothing, since that color seems to excite bees; a black felt

hat is especially to be avoided. Superfluous quick movements tend to irritate the bees. The hive should not be jarred or disturbed any more than necessary. Rapid movemants peculiar eye structure bees probably As a rule, it is not considered best perceive motion more readily than

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Variety for Afternoon Wear.

There are two types of afternoon gowns this summer, the more simple kind of sprigged Dolly Varden matemake her new grounds not only a rials, frilly to a degree, and the afternoon dance frock, which is of more pretentious fabrics.

Cows for Fertilizing. Some liberal minded farmers are beginning to feel the necessity of

more fertilizer and they are buying cows for the purpose of manufacturing this on the farm. More fertilizer is an important question with many a farmer, and there is no better way to secure it than handling dairy stock

and producing it at home.

Neatness is Essential.

ruin him.

If there is any man who needs to be neat in his work it is the dairy farmer. Remember that the dairyman is producing human food every day and it should be produced under the best of conditions if he is going to make a first-class product.

Whip Ruins the Colt.

which requires the constant use of

the whip will nine times out of ten

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Peacock, Texas, last week.

FOR SALE .- Good size, first enameled refrigerator, class. cheap. Ask at Slatonite office.

J. D. Stewart of Shreveport, La., has been visiting his brother, J. C. Stewart, in Slaton for several days.

to Hereford.

Portales, N. M., Sunday to the bedside of his father who had been seriously injured in a fall from a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nash returned to their home at Gaines. ville last week after spending several weeks at the home of A I. Kuykendall.

FOR SALE.-Lots 3 and 7 to 11 Slaton, \$50 each, payable \$10 per month. Purchaser assuming \$22.50 on each lot.-Hilliard Bryan, El Paso, Texas.

Reading Room Saturday night Avalanche. with an informal dance. Music was furnished by the Robertson orchestra. A splendid evening was enjoyed by the guests.

Friday, Aug. 7th, is the regular meeting of the Woodman Circle. All members are requested to be there promptly at 2.30. Visitors are welcome .-Mrs. Pearl Conway, Guardian; Mrs. Carrie Blackwell, Clerk.

Hurrah for the W. O. W. Boys.

A splendid time was enjoyed last Friday afternoon when a number of Woodmen surprised the Woodman Circle in their regular meeting. The Woodmen came marching up the stairs and Money to loan on approved into the hall carrying ice cream, bringing a broad smile.

A few talks were made by S. C. Marrs came home from members of both orders, and the Grove honors were given after which the Woodmen excused themselves, saying they were coming again.

The Methodist revival meeting at Tahoka closed last Sunday with the total number of conversions at about 150, one of the Dr. J. O. Lane and family of most successful revivals ever Fluvanna spent Sunday night at held on the South Plains. The the home of B. C. Morgan in article in last week's Tahoka Slaton. The doctor was autoing News devoted to the services is one of the best descriptions of

C. F. Anderson was called to a religious meeting that we have ever seen in a country newspaper, and we congratulateBrother Crie on the originality and completeness of it.

> Rain fell Saturday night to the amount of one inch, giving Slaton's bumper crops another boost toward a record breaking

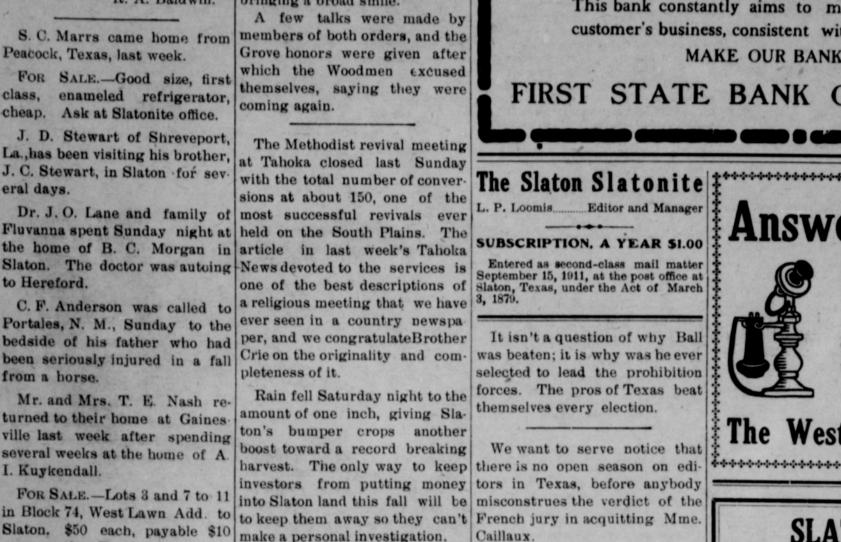
make a personal investigation.

Jas. Dow of Seminole has been in Slaton this week assisting in Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Marriott his way to visit his son, Jas. L.

> The Postex baseball team did not come to Slaton last week, but will be here tomorrow. They say they are coming prepared to win the game.

Mrs. Walter Day and her son, Price, of Plainview are visiting Mrs. Day's sister, Mrs. Dr. S. H. Adams, in Slaton this week.

Ball batted about .167 in the primary; bush league player.



No doubt Huerta had many a the revival meetings. He is on chuckle to himself about how he sailed away from Mexico without entertained at the Santa Fe Dow of Lubbock, editor of the saluting the stars and stripes. Huerta is a shrewd old states man, and he played Wilson and Bryan just long enough to make a dignified getaway.

> The Blackwater Valley State Bank will be open in a few weeks at Muleshoe, Texas, with C. W. Harrison for president, and G. P. Kuykendall, cashier. J. A. Oden of Farwell and M. P. Smith are vice presidents of the new



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bank.

The election Saturday was a triumph for the old guard all along the line. Ferguson, protege of Governor Colquitt, led the parade of state officers. Congressmen Stephens and Smith were returned to Washington with practically all of the old members who run. Even in the district and county offices the old guard was invincible.

FREE HARD CIDER.

A sale bill of sixty-five years ago was recenty brought to notice at Wellsville, Mo., and the wording of the bill recalls the great change in conditions the passing years have wrought. There are among us some silver haired veterans who can remember these old days:

Public Sale-State of Missouri County of Pike, To whom it may concern: The undersigned will on Tuesday, September 29 A. D. 1849 sell at public outcry, for cash, on premises where Coon creek crosses the old Mission road the following chatels, towit: Six yoke of oxen with yokes and chains, 2 wagons with beds, 3 nigger wenches, 4 buck niggers, 3 nigger boys, 2 prairie plows, 23 steel traps, 1 barrel pickled cabbage, 1 hogshead tobacco, 1 lot nigger hoes, 1 spinning wheel, 1 loom, 3 fox hounds, a lot of coon, mink, and skunk skins, and a lot of other articles. Am gwine to Californy. John Smith.

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Jno. P. Lewis



an east Texas farmer on his first visit to Slaton, the interview far west before. The article struck a popular chord, and we meet the demand for it. The other day we asked the gentleman how he likes Slaton by this time. "Why," he answered, "when you printed that other

little since." But before giving his new exof those who want copies of it. This was the article.

and make his home here permanently if the climate and environments were such that his constitution and peace of mind could be reconciled to them, the SLATONITE editor was greatly surprised at several things the gentleman said.

The gentleman said that he, along with his neighbors, had conwoolly west in coming to Slaton! He supposed he was coming to a desolate, dreary waste land, barren save for scraggly mesquite and forbidding cacti; a land inhabited by wild cattle, mancountry towns, questionable bus iness men, and J. Rufus Wallingford real estate grafters.

He said that the down east storms that fairly peel the hide ments combine to make life ene life miserable. That centi-

off prevail, while all the disagree joyable. Where the people are able climatic features combine to so cordial, courteous, and so robust. 1 am an old man now pedes, rattlesnakes, and buz and don't care to dig and prozards continually harass a per iduce, and I have just found that country I always have been look. The attitude taken by the down ing for. What a wonderful land "Such grass! Such rank garnever rained here, but it sure I've got you people where I can The timorous feeling held by watch you stagger around in the 'natives" of the South Plains doors in the morning there was 'Where is the rain?' I asked. "The water all goes into the porous soil here in just a few hours,' they told me. At the next rain I saw this for myself. No boggy pleasures and comforts of real town with no mud clinging to going everywhere all times of the year, You can't understand how unbelievable all this sounds to a man in my country.

son into a hysterical existence.

east people in regard to our for young people to start life in! splendid section of country is truly amusing as well as amaz- dens and fields! Why, I measing, but we can freely pardon ured a five-foot growth made their position because it is due already this year on a tree that we suppose to a lack of authentic has never had a drop of irrigainformation. The prevalent idea tion water. And they told me it of the West as conveyed in moving pictures, melodrama, and has been wet since I came. The cheap magazines is applied to us other night when it rained three for the sole reason that we are a inches I said to myself: 'Now part of "west" Texas.

the down east folk towards us mad.' But when I went out of doesn't offend us in the least, no water standing on the ground. But we are sorry for people who are thus imposed on, and who are kept away from our naturefavored land by such erroneous impressions; sorry because they are missing so much of the fields and farmers driving to living in a country with the best the buggy spokes; automobiles twelve months' climate under the azure blue.

It required no imagination on our part to appreciate this gentleman's awakening when he got off the train at Slaton, as he told ever drank, and they tell me the it to us. He said that he supply is inexhaustible. The rubbed his eyes to see if he cool, temperate climate is a rewere awake, and looked again lief from the sultry, sweltering at a little city, whose buildings heat. Plain words can't tell would put to shame any town of half the story. My, my. How equal size "down east." He look. those folks down east are fooling ed at the magnificent landscape themselves about this Slaton which nature had painted such Plains country." a healthy green. He glanced about for the fearsome natives down east won't believe the stoand tricky land manipulators, ries they hear of this land; I and his curiosity was due to wouldn't myself. If there were disappointment and his pride to only some way to get them out a fall because his arrival was not here to see this country they attended by either of these would all come and buy land classes of characters. These here. They would build homes personalities of down-east imag. here and come to this all the year ination would be just as great a health resort to retire on their curiosity to us as to this visitor incomes, and buy farms for their to the South Plains. He was not children to cultivate and start out hailed by picturesque western in life for themselves. But they

"The water here is the best I

Continuing he said: "People



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Advantages and Improvements

The Railway Company has Division Terminal Facilities at this point, constructedmostly of reinforced concrete material and including a Round House, a Power House, Machine and Blacksmith Shops, Coal Chute, a Sand House, Water Plant, Ice House, etc. Also have a Fred Harvey Eating House, and a Reading Room for Santa Fe employees. Have extensive yard tracks for handling a heavy trans-continental business, both freight and passenger, between the Gulf and Atlantic Coast and the Pacific Coast territories, and on branch lines to Tahoka, Lamesa and other towns.

JLAIVI LOCATION

SLATON is in the southeast corner of Lubbock County, in the center of the South Plains of central west Texas. Is on the new main Trans-Continental Line of the SantaFe. Connects with North Texas Lines of that system at Canyon, Texas; with South Texas lines of the Santa Fe at Coleman, Texas; and with New Mexico and Pacific lines of the same system at Texico, N. M. SLATON is the junction of the Lamesa road, Santa Fe System.

BUSINESS SECTION AND RESIDENCES BUILT

3000 feet of business streets are graded and macadamized and several residence streets are graded; there are 26 business buildings of brick and reinforced concrete, with others to follow; 200 residences under construction and completed.

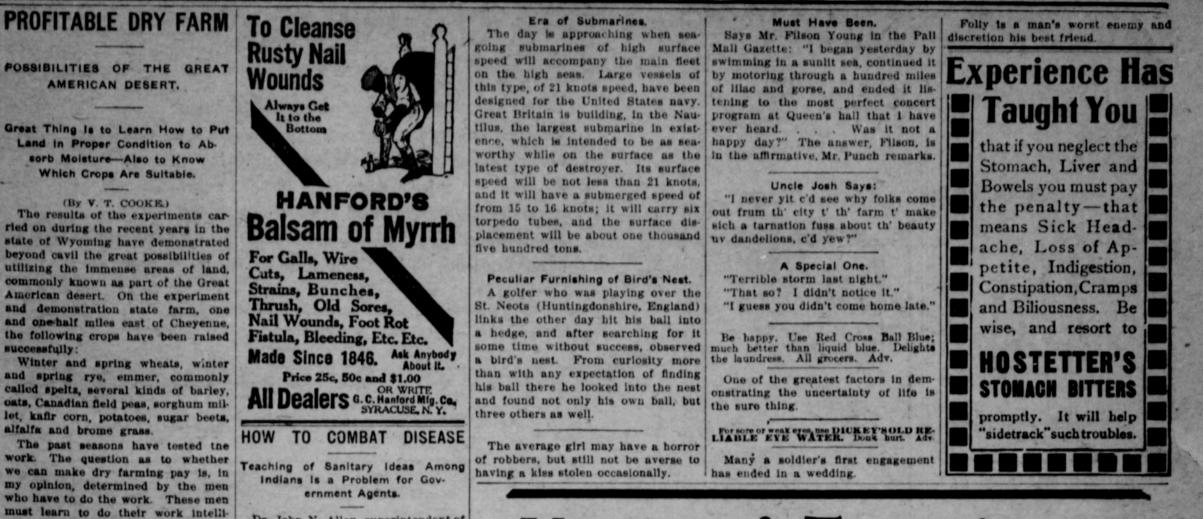
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Local Townsite Agents, Slaton, Texas.



Dr. John N. Alley, superintendent of the United States sanitarium for Indians at Fort Lapwai, Idaho, says he is convinced, after a study of the causes of death among the Nez Perces Indians for the last ten years, that 90 per cent

of all the deaths are due directly or indirectly to tuberculosis. In the hundred years that have elapsed since the historic expedition of Lewis and Clarke to the Northwest, the Nez Perces tribe has diminished from 8,-000 to 1,300. The present tuberculosis death rate is about 40 per thousand living or two and one-half times the rate in the United States as a whole. Doctor Alley traces the cause of the decimation to the change in the mode of living of the Indians from the open air life of the plains to the sedentary, settled life of the reservation. The latter has brought with it the danger of house infection which was automatically eliminated in the earlier days. "Ventilation," says Doctor Alley, "is completely foreign to an Indian's nature. It is with great difficulty that you can get them to pay any heed to this important part of sanitation. I have known twenty or thirty to gather in a small room where an advanced case of tuberculosis has been housed for months, and to close all the doors and windows, even plugging up the keyholes."

In a recent report of the office of Indian affairs, Commissioner Sells points out that there are approximately 25,000 Indians in the United States suffering from tuberculosis, and that the availe government facilities for their care will not exceed 300 beds.

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successfully

like them to be.

gently. Hit or miss farming will not

rules which, if followed, will give good

returns, year in and year out, even if

the seasons are not just as we would

We must put our land in the proper

condition to absorb moisture and

learn when and how to cultivate it,

so as to keep this moisture in the

land. We must find out which crops

do the best on our farms. All soils

are not alike. We must learn to ro-

tate our crops and improve the fertil-

ity of our land, instead of depleting

The more I see of the state and find

out the character of its soils, cli-

matic conditions, vegetation growing.

the more I am convinced that this

state is going to be filled up with men

who will make good in farming. But

to be successful, these men will have

to realize that they must use an intel-

ligent system: must make their soil

in that condition that no moisture runs

oi', but acts the same as a dry sponge

would, and absorbs that vital necessity

to vegetation, moisture. Our Wyom-

ing soils are extremely fertile; our

climatic conditions, although erratic,

give us crops that are unsurpassed

elsewhere in quantity or quality. An-

other phase in our farming which will

be better understood by and by is, we

can mature good crops with less mois-

ture than at lower altitudes. Cattle

and sheep fatten on our native grasses

-get fat without being fed any kind of

grain. This proves that these grasses

There are certain fundamental

Any kind of farming to be successful must be done intelligently. Therefore, I say to the careless man, who expects God Almighty to do seventy-five per cent of his work, and he to do twentyfive per cent, to keep away from Wyoming. The results of dry farming, as seen by me the last four years carried on in different parts of this state prove that men with the necessary capital can dry farm here and that it will pay. The motto of the newcomer should be, "Brains and Muscle," in the order mentioned.

Preparing Garden Soil.

In preparing garden soil for late cabbage, celery and other late crops, work it down very fine and compact. Use the harrow, drag and roller for this purpose. If the soll is made very fine and compact, it will hold moisture to nourish the roots of the newly-set plants.

To Keep Lambs Growing.

The lambs can be kept growing well by giving them a little extra grain and some rice, bright clover or alfalfa hay, fed by means of a lamb creep, in addition to their mother's milk and what ittle other they get from the feeding troughs of the older sheep.

Handling Manure. Manure should be rotted and fine, so it can be easily spread over the ground. After spreading, the field should be harrowed both ways to get the manure well mixed with the soil

Beet to Have Good Horses. It is far better to have two good a place where numbers do not repreent value.

The Unpopular Sort. "What kind of a fellow is Ponson-

by ?' "Very disappointing."

"What do you mean?" -

"He approaches like the bearer of glad tidings and ends by trying to borrow money."

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or was told and never was really re-Heved until I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I would wash the parts in water with the Cuticura Soap and then when I dried them I would apply the Cuticura Ointment on the surface in the daytime, and at night I would get a soft plece of cloth and apply the Cuticura Ointment on my hands and let it stay that way all night. A perfect cure was effected. No one will ever know how glad I was to get my hands and feet cured." (Signed) Geo. C. Crook, Nov. 25, 1912. Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each tree, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postsard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."-Adv.

Good for the Animals. "A great many people come here Sunday ?" "Yes," answered the keeper in the zoo. "And I'm so glad of it. It seems to sort of cheer the animals up to see a crowd."

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The developments that have taken place recently in the oil and gas fields of Western Canada have but added another to the many previous evidences that have been produced, showing the great wealth that has

been an unknown asset for so many

generations. The latest reports from the ollfields at Calgary show that there is a production there that would appear to equal the best paying fields on the continent. Experts have been on the ground for some time. It is said that one of the wells is able to produce 2,000 gallons an hour. If this is so there are but about a dozen wells in the world of greater production. During the past week discoveries of surface indications have been made which show that oll exists over a considerable portion of Alberta and Saskatchewan, while in Manitoba there have also been showings. At Battleford, Saskatchewan, a few days ago discoveries were made which led to the filing for leases on twenty thousand acres of land, all having strong surface indications. Companies were formed to carry on immediate work, and in a couple of months, or probably less, the story will be told whether oil exists in paying quantities.

But there are also the coal deposits and the natural gas deposits that are helping to make of Western Canada one of the wealthiest portions of the continent.

With the grain fields covering these hidden riches it is no wonder that a continued range of optimism is to be seen everywhere. Early reports of seeding of all grains being successfully completed all over the country are followed by reports of excellent and strong growth everywhere. During the first week in June most of the wheat had reached a growth of from twelve to twenty inches, with the most even appearance, almost universally, that has been seen for years. Oats appeared equally well, and covered the ground in a way that brought the broadest kind of a grin to overspread the farmer's countenance.

Barley, a favorite with the hog raisers, had taken good root, and was crowding oats for a first place, as to length of shoot. Cultivated fodder grasses are getting great attention, as a consequence of the inclination to go more largely into mixed farming, and the raising of hogs, cattle and horses. The weather is reported fine, just what is needed, and if present favorable conditions continue, the grain crop of Western Canada for 1914 will be the largest average in the history of the country .- Advertisement



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Sometimes a long, narrow house is preferred, and sometimes a house of this shape is necessary because it must fit a narrow lot.

This plan is 22 feet wide and 37 feet long. It contains six rooms and is built on the economical order, that is, the amount of material is small when compared with the amount of room the house affords. To avoid long hallways, the stair is placed about the center of one side, which works well on the first floor and is very convenient on the second floor, as the landing is near the center of the house and the short hall makes an easy connection between the three bedrooms and the bathroom.

is taken of the sides of the upper part

of the house to make clothes closets

under the low part of the roof on one

side, and the same space makes head-

room over the stairway on the other

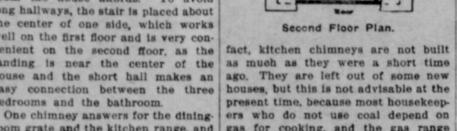
Many changes are taking place in

house building. Not so many years ago

First Floor Plan.

ausework on the same plan.

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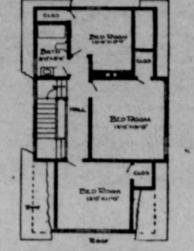




ventilating pipes connecting with the clothes closets, are intended to keep the air good in the out-of-the-way places of the careless as well as the careful housekeeper. Some of these ventilators work all right, and some are no good at all. To test one it is only necessary to light a match and hold it in the opening. Such flues should have a good draft and they should be fitted with a damper valve having a small opening that can not be closed so there will be some air passing through it at all times whether it is forgotten or not. When it is necessary to have more circulation the whole flue may be opened up.

A well-planned and well-built house, whether large cr small contains many little conveniences that were not known a few years ago. Old-time luxuries are common necessities today, and our present up-to-date iuxuries were nothing more than dreams a couple of centuries ago.

In many places kitchen ranges have been left out of the new houses. In



room grate and the kitchen range, and gas for cooking, and the gas range it is well placed for looks and it is 'should be connected with a flue to



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HER ABSENT-MINDED HUBBY

If Any Wife Has an Affliction Worse Than This, Now Is the Time to Declare It.

They were talking about their husbands over the tea things. Husbands and the weather supply the same vacuum between the gales of gossip.

sent-minded, and so wrapped up in his of Napoleon, had become involved in new study of photography that that's serious controversies with the cortes, all he thinks of. You can't imagine the law-making body of the land, bethe time I have with him."

herself, while her listener found an The Gazette Universal printed a stateidle interest in creasing the lace ends ment to the effect that the officers of with her fingers.

tell you! Theophilus came out of the the constitution and the cortes. For

A Century Ago.

The trial of the editors of the Gazette Universal, which took place in Madrid 100 years ago, affords an illustration of the severity with which the freedom of the press was restrained in practically all of the continental countries in those days. Ferdinand VII, who but recently had been restored to the Spanish throne as one "Theophilus, you know, is very ab- of the consequences of the overthrow cause of the latter's liberal views. A She paused a moment to imagine it revolution appeared to be imminent. one of the Spanish armies had de-"Oh, this is what I was going to | clared their determination to support

A Constant Fear.

"Didn't you say Tewkesbury enjoyed a large income?"

come."

"What's the difference?"

"In Tewkesbury's case there is a great deal of difference. He has germiphobia and is incapable of enjoying anything."

Her Object.

"Henry, where have you been?" "It would be a waste of time to tell you, my dear. You wouldn't believe me."

"Perhaps not, but I wish to estimate from your manner of speaking the number of drinks you have had."

Mystical Number on Coin.

No one seems unwilling to accept a 25-cent piece, even though there are on each coin the following hoodoo combinations: Thirteen letters in the scroll held in the eagle's beak; thirteen feathers in each wing; thirteen tail feathers; thirteen upright bars in the shield; thirteen arrowheads; thirteen leaves on the branch; thirteen letters in the words "quarter dollar.'

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Wakens Something Akin.

To be able to appreciate anything excellent reveals that something akin to that excellence also dwells in ourselves .- The Christian Register.

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"No. I said he had a large in. properly built to prevent leaks, be | carry off the moisture generated by cause it is so much easier to lay the the burners and the steam and odors roof around a chimney at the peak from cooking. than it is lower down. Advantage

The idea is that we will soon do all cooking with electricity. The indications certainly point that way, but more improvements are needed to make it a complete success and to bring the cost down within the reach of the ordinary family. In this plan the chimney is there for use if wanted, and the chances are that it will be used for a good many years to come.

It is usually the newly married who want all the up-to-date fads, while the older people prefer to retain that which they know to be good until they are sure of something that has proved itself better.

the big dining room, which will naturally be used as a living room. Later, perhaps, a summer kitchen will be added and the kitchen used for a dining room. Even a more marked change may be made by substituting the new electrical cooking apparatus which some people think is destined to combine the kitchen and the dining room. In fact, at the present time a good many families are making the coffee on the dining table by means of an electric heater.

Darwin Still "in the Ring."

Sir Ray Lankester in a recent review of the "Letters and Recollections of Alexander Agassiz" remarks incidenclothes closets were unusual, perhaps only one bedroom in a house being tally that Agassiz succeeded in showsupplied with a closet. It was necesing that the views advocated by Darsary to buy portable wardrobes in win and Dana regarding the formation which to hang extra clothing or else of coral reefs were not of general vapile it up on the floor. People used to say that closets are not nice, that lidity. Apropos of this E. B. Poulton of Oxford calls attention to the testthey smell bad, which was true enough boring of a coral reef made at Funiin some houses and is today, but futi. It is the only important trial housekeepers who know the value of ever made of the Darwin theory of fresh air and cleanliness have no difstolls, and certainly tends to support fculty in keeping a well-built house the latter so far as the Pacific area is clean in the out-of-the-way corners as concerned. The bore hole was 1,100 well as in the parlor. A lady asked her new maid if she never swept unfeet deep and in the core removed only shallow-water organisms were der the beds, and got this reply: "Yes, found. "For some reason or other." ma'am, I always do. It is handler than writes Professor Poulton, "probably i dust pan." Some mistresses do their because it is more exciting to over turn than to confirm, very little has The extra flues in the chimney, with been said about this evidence."

"Theophilus, what are you standing up around like that for?' 'Just a minute,' the coast of Africa. he says to me-just a minute. It's developing nicely. See that high light coming up?" 'High light nothing!' I says; 'that's a cracker. Sit down!""

The Source.

"Heard the latest gossip?" "I guess so. I've just been talking to the village postmaster."

The end of a busy little bee is more or less painful.

it's different with the human knocker. honesty keeps him so poor.

dark room the other evening just as thus daring to take sides against the dinner was set. I says to him: throne the editors of the newspaper were condemned by order of the king there rolling that plate of soup to labor six years in the galleys, on

> Inventor From the Hub. "Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

"Who invented the bean-shooter?" "I'm not sure, my boy, but I pre sume it was some Boston man."

Looking for Praise. Who looks for praise when he has merely done his duty will be disappointed.

Many a woman who wants her hus-Opportunity knocks but once-but band to be honest is sorry that his



A splendid feature of this house is